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Application of Michele Amouyal

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For: CONSTRUCT OF RECOMBINANT NUCLEIC ACIDS CIRCULARIZED BY DNA COMPACTING AGENTS

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 has been established.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 is enclosed.
- No additional fee is required.

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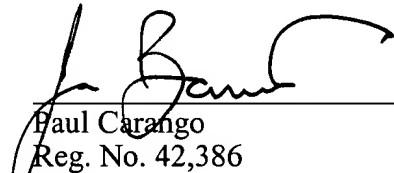
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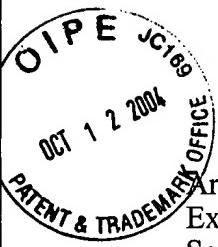
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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated July 8, 2004, Applicant amends the Application as follows: